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CONGRESSIONAL HAPPENINGS IN WASHINGTON

By CLARENCE J. BROWN
Member of Congress

It now appears likely that any soldiers' vote legislation enacted into law will be of the compromise variety. The House, ten days ago, flatly rejected the Federal ballot plan in favor of the continued use of complete state ballots for soldiers' voting, with the Army and Navy charged with the responsibility of transporting the ballots overseas and giving the opportunity for our fighting men to vote. However, on the Senate side, where in December the same bill, as slightly amended by the House, had been passed, the Senators last week did a complete right-about-face and adopted a second soldiers' vote measure containing the Administration's Federal ballot plan, and then tacked it on as an amendment to the original approved by the House. All of this unprecedented maneuvering has created one of the most tangled parliamentary situations in recent Congressional history. A Joint Conference Committee between the two Houses is now endeavoring to straighten out the matter. In all probability, if any agreement is reached, it will be on the basis that state ballots must be used where and when available, with the Federal ballot substituted only when a state refuses or fails to furnish ballots for soldiers voting.

Your Representative in Congress last week introduced a House Resolution which has created considerable comment. It provides for the appointment of a bi-partisan committee of six to study and investigate all news, radio and motion picture material sent to men and women of the armed forces by any of the governmental agencies pertaining to candidates for political offices, public officials other than officers of the armed forces, Congressional activities — such as matters of legislation — and other public issues. In plain words the committee's activities would be directed toward seeing to it that the Federal government, which controls practically all sources of information furnished to the armed forces, gives both sides of every story in a fair and impartial manner as it may affect political candidates or issues public officials, or Congressional action and national legislation.

The Senate is once more engaged in heated debate over the food subsidy and price roll back program of the Administration in the hope to complete legislation before the present Commodity Credit Corporation ends. Present indications are that the Senate will follow previous action of the House by prohibiting further food subsidy payments, although the Senate vote may be close following which the President will undoubtedly veto the measure. There seems little probability the anti-subsidy legislation can be passed over the President's veto. Many expect the final result to be some sort of a compromise which will continue the present subsidy program on a modified basis.

A touchy issue will be before the Congress in a few weeks. It is the question of what changes to make in OPA. Most people have overlooked the fact that the present OPA law expires June 30th. The law must be extended or revised if price control continues. Congress is determined to force administrative improvements, to whittle down OPA practices which they feel go far beyond Congressional authorization. Angered not at the basic doctrine of price control but the extreme to which it has been pushed, Congress is thinking about specific restrictions to be slapped on OPA practices. In the making will be a call for a review of OPA restrictions by regular courts. This would establish the right of appeal from OPA decisions in the regular way. If present indications are borne out, it is likely that the Congress will take advantage of the renewal of OPA legislation to settle, once and for all, how far OPA is to go on its rules, regulations and practices.

Last week was "Bricker Week" in Washington. Ohio's Governor and candidate for the Presidency, John W. Bricker, was the official guest and principal speaker last Thursday night at the annual Lincoln Day Banquet sponsored by the Republican Members of the Congress. The attendance which was well over fifteen hundred, made the meeting one of the largest

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COURT NEWS

DIVORCE SUITS

Charging neglect, Delbert Calentine, in an action against Ruth Calentine, Fairfield, asks for custody of two children and that the defendant be barred of interest in property he owns. The couple was married in Dover, O., October 4, 1937. A temporary restraining order was issued by the court enjoining the defendant from molesting the plaintiff. A cross-petition has been filed by Mrs. Calentine, who also asks for a divorce. Rebecca Odom, a minor, asks custody of a minor child, in a suit against Robert E. Odom, Xenia, on grounds of neglect and cruelty. They were married in Covington, Ky., on Sept. 7, 1942.

Mary M. Carnthwaite charges her husband, Wilbur G. Dayton, with cruelty and asks restoration to her maiden name of Weimer. They were married June 1, 1940.

GRANTED JUDGMENT

Judgment for \$453.15 was awarded the plaintiff, in a suit brought by the Modern Finance Co., against Roscoe and Irene M. Boggs, Yellow Springs, on a cognovit note.

AWARDED DIVORCES

Fred Blum has been awarded a divorce from Louise Blum and given custody of minor children and Walker Thompson has been granted a divorce from Hazel Thompson.

SALE APPROVED

Sale of the Gladys Run Methodist Church and 1.03 acres of land in Spring Valley Twp. to Robert C. and Helen B. Pierce for \$715 was approved. The church was abandoned several years ago and application for its sale was made by trustees of the Union circuit of the Wilmington district of the Methodist Church.

CASE IS DISMISSED

The suit of Jack Storey against Willard Lewis has been dismissed.

OVERRULE MOTION

Motion of the defendant for a new trial in the case of Sol Arnovitz, doing business as Sol's Store, against the C. and D. Motor Delivery Co., was overruled.

APPRAISALS GIVEN

The following estate, were appraised in probate court:
Terral Johnson, gross \$500; deductions, \$580.65; net, nothing.
Coomer D. Harness; gross, \$8 436.03; deductions, \$1,762; net, \$6,674.03.
George C. White; gross, \$820.54; deductions, \$680.32; net \$140.22.

APPOINTMENTS

Frances E. Hook was appointed administratrix of the estate of Chas. E. Hook, late of Xenia, under \$200 bond; Mary E. Bird was named administratrix of the estate of Altha S. Bird, Cedarville, under \$20,000 bond; and Donald W. Morris was appointed administrator of the estate of Mary W. Morris, late of Osborn, under \$11,000 bond.

APPRAISALS ORDERED

The county auditor was directed to appraise the estate of Charles E. Hook.

TRANSFER ORDERED

Jane Frame, as executrix of the estate of John T. Frame, has been authorized to transfer real estate.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Issued

Herman Axel Alvin Bowersmaster, Xenia, truck driver, and Mrs. Bernice Louise Jones, Xenia.
William Franklin Conklin, Sabina, farmer, and Ruth Esther Mairs, New Burlington, Rev. Wendell Emrick.
Harold Stanley Lawwill, Jeffersonville, truck driver, and Martha Lucille Cunagin, Fairfield.
Russell Lorenz Cordell, Yellow Springs, marine, and Carrie Elizabeth Stewart, Cedarville.
Applied.
Archie Otis Shaw, Cedarville, farmer, and Dorothy Mae Reeves, New Burlington.

DUROO BREEDERS

TO HOLD SALE FEB. 29

The Ohio Duroo Association will hold a sale of 40 head of Duroo gilts at the Chester Folk sale barn, on the Springfield and Yellow Springs pike, on Tuesday, Feb. 29th.

GREATGRAND SON ARRIVES

Mr. W. H. Creswell announces the birth of a greatgrand son born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Van Lierop (nee Eleanor Creswell), daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Andrew S. Creswell of Pontiac, Mich.

Advisory Board To Sponsor Historical Pageant April 28th

The Advisory Board of Cedarville College is to sponsor a historical pageant depicting the history of the 50 years of the college that will be staged in the local opera house the evening of April 28th.

Highlight in the pageant will be the style of clothes that college youths have worn during the past half century. Mrs. Fred Townsley, committee chairman, is busy contacting former students and descendants of pioneer families who have saved what the best dressed young men and women wore in other years. Musical background will also be the hits of other days from the gay nineties to the present day. The pageant is to be free but will be by ticket reservation only. President Ira D. Vayhinger announces.

Elmer Snyder Victim Heart Attack, Monday

Elmer Snyder, 58, Rarden, O., who teaches in a school at Richmondale, O., died suddenly from a heart attack Monday at 8:45. He was stricken with a heart attack while entering his automobile to go to school.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Clara Bease Snyder; a brother and sister, James Snyder and Mrs. Florence Selby, Akron. The deceased and his wife reside here during vacation time and both have taught in Southern Ohio for several years.

The funeral was held Wednesday from the McMillan Funeral Home. The service was in charge of Rev. Paul Elliott. Burial took place in North Cemetery.

Capt. Paul Turnbull Now Is A Major

Capt. Paul Turnbull, Xenia, formerly of this place, now stationed at Shelby, O., has been given a temporary promotion to the rank of major by the war department. Maj. Turnbull is a son of the late J. E. Turnbull of this place. He was a second lieutenant in Company F, 330 Infantry, in World War I.

Cold Spell Sent Gas Pressure To New Low

The shortage of natural gas was noticed here Tuesday morning more than anytime since the supply has been low due to war factory demands and household use following the zero weather. Many have had to use gas to supplement their coal supply and this sent the reserve supply to a low point. Most of Ohio is in the gas shortage area. Numerous war plants and some bakeries had to suspend operations Monday and Tuesday.

FERNDAL FARM'S 'HAMP' SALE FEBRUARY 24

Ferndale Farms announces a sale of fifty head of bred Hampshire gilts as the 31st sale offering on Thursday February 24th. A. B. Evans, states the offering this year will outclass all former offerings with a little different type of Hampshire structure. The sale will be held at Ferndale Farms, Jamestown pike.

DECLARES INTERNMENT

CAMP WAS "LEVELER"

"An internment camp is a great leveler. Here millionaires and poor people all work together in common tasks." Miss Ida Frantz, of New Carlisle recently repatriated Methodist missionary to China returning on the Grisholm after being held prisoner by the Japanese for two years as the climax of 27 years of service in China, told the Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist Church and their community guests.

"One multi-millionaire coal dealer had to search the grounds for coal and twigs for his stove in the camp. Coal there is now \$3,000 a ton. There was little friction between the prisoners and the guards. There were only three deaths in five and one half months and none the result of camp treatment. There was a special diet kitchen for the children and those who were ill and unable to eat camp fare. We were allowed seven denominational church services each Sunday. We found in the camp that happiness does not depend on material things but upon spiritual peace."

BUY AND HOLD "E" BONDS

GREENE COUNTY EXCEEDS WAR BOND QUOTA

Greene county went over the top in the Fourth War Bond drive and may stand as the leading county in the state on the sale of "E" bonds, based on the quota given the county. The sale amounted to \$2,651,260.75 which exceeds the quota of \$1,923,000 by 37 per cent.

The sale of bonds for the nation was reported at \$14,191,000,000 against the national quota of 14 billion dollars.

Judge Frank L. Johnson, chairman of the County War Loan Committee was highly pleased with the success of the campaign in the county and issued the following statement:

To the People of Greene County:

As Chairman of the War Finance Committee of Greene County, I desire to thank each and every person who helped out in the Fourth War Loan Drive and all of the people in Greene County who so loyally supported us.

At the present time Greene county stands first in the E Bond Drive in the entire State of Ohio, and this would have been impossible had it not been for the loyal support of all of the citizens of Greene County.

Very truly yours,
FRANK L. JOHNSON,
Greene County War Finance Committee.

TAX DEAD LINE IS

MONDAY, FEB. 21

County Treasurer Harold Fawcett states that the final day for payment of real estate taxes and assessments is February 21. After that date a penalty must be added to tax bills. Property owners should keep this announcement in mind.

For the convenience of taxpayers, Mr. Fawcett states, his office will be open Saturday, afternoon until 3 o'clock.

COLLEGE NEWS

Corporal Alford Fehlman visited the College Monday. Cp. Fehlman is an instructor in the ordnance department of the Army and is located at El Paso, Texas. His task is to teach the trainees how to shoot an anti-aircraft gun so the shell will meet a fast moving plane at the right moment.

Whom does she look like? Is the big question at the home of Prof. Steele these days. The reason for the question was the arrival of the first picture of Carol Elaine, 10 days old. Carol is the second greatgrand child of the Steeles. The little tyke has four living grandparents and five great grands.

Pres. Vayhinger was the guest speaker at the Lafayette ave. Presbyterian Church, Buffalo, Sunday.

The chapel services this week centered around the thought of Prayer for Colleges and Prayer for Students of the world. Tuesday, President Vayhinger gave a very helpful analysis of the Lord's Prayer. Relationships were stressed, servant and Master, child and father, sinner and Savior. Thursday the period was given over to Scripture prayer, and meditation. Theme, the place of prayer in college life.

The college farm management sold a number of hogs recently, the first live stock to be bred, raised and marketed from the farm. Others are near ready for market. The next in line will be returns from the fine herd of Herefords in the not too distant future.

The college girls attended the basketball game and dance last Friday night, followed by a slumber party at the dorm. While they were at the game some old "meanie" created disorder in their rooms. Gordon and George point long accusing fingers at each other. This writer thinks the culprit was the ghost of the tiger whose ears were "bobbed."

Eight students have entered the Bible Reading contest. If you would help foster the Open Bible in our midst, keep the date open and be there to encourage our young folks. Date is evening of March 5.

Dr. W. R. McClesney addressed the Union Sabbath School Training classes of Troy, Ohio, last Sabbath. The meeting was held in the First Presbyterian Church of Troy.

Dr. F. C. Adams Died From Pneumonia Saturday Afternoon

Dr. Frank C. Adams, 79, died at his home in Yellow Springs, Saturday afternoon following an attack of pneumonia.

The physician was a native of New Albany, Ind., and graduated from a medical school in Cincinnati, 1901. He took postgraduate work at Chicago University and practiced in Madison until 1916 when he located in Clifton, and later in Yellow Springs. He has not been active in his profession the past two years.

He was a member of Yellow Springs Masonic Lodge, Knights of Pythias Lodge in Madison, Ind., and the Clifton Presbyterian Church.

He is survived by his widow Mrs. Matilda Myers Adams and a daughter, Mrs. Mildred Linskey, Yellow Springs.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon in Yellow Springs with burial in Madison, Ind.

Beer Parlor Escapade Cost Customer \$10

A female patron of the Xenia ave. beer parlor having become a bit upset at the management resisted being put out, but not without a tussle. In the scramble she let fly a foot and crashed the glass in the door.

Chief Marshall escorted one Mrs. Pauline Bailey, to the open spaces and ordered her to appear in mayor's court Tuesday. Mayor Abels placed the fine at \$10 and costs for intoxication and disorderly, which was paid. She also agrees to pay the damage to the door at the beer parlor. Her husband is with the armed forces.

Report Enrollment Is Making Progress

The local enrollment for Hospital Care is making good progress according to reports of the local committee. However, the committee warned that the great number who have indicated that they wanted the benefits of the plan and have not as yet signed up, must do so during the present month for after this period no one can be enrolled until several months later when the membership can be opened to group membership affiliation. No one can enroll singly after the period is over. Dayton representatives were here Monday night and presented the plan to the Progressive Club. They revealed that the national membership is now 17,000,000.

EDWIN DEAN BUYS HARGRAVE FARM

Edwin Dean, well known farmer and extensive land owner, purchased the Hargrave farm of 100 acres at public sale last Friday at \$108 an acre. The farm is located adjacent to New Jasper, and has good improvements.

MAINTAINING FAMILY MORALE

Maintaining Family Morale is a series of four meetings which two groups in the county are studying. Anyone who is interested in joining the study group already organized or who would like more information about the organization of a local group should contact Mrs. Dorothy Stambaugh, home demonstration agent Federal Building, Xenia.

GOVERNMENT CONDEMNNS

BATH TWP. FARM LAND

The government has filed suit in Dayton U. S. Court for condemnation of 28.5 acres of farm land in Bath Twp. belonging to Dorothy Leedy and others. The government offers \$11,000 for the tract needed to enlarge Wright Field. The action is also brought against the treasurer and auditor of Greene county.

JACK FURAY WILL HOLD PUBLIC SALE, MARCH 8

Jack Furay, who has sold his farm on the Tobias Road, will hold a public sale of livestock, implements and feed on the farm, Wednesday, March 8th. Mr. Furay has purchased the George Gordon place south of town and will move there.

WILL ADDRESS CO-OPS

Dr. H. H. Abels, pastor of the local Methodist Church will be the speaker for the Cooperative Club in Xenia, on Wednesday evening, February 23 at the regular dinner meeting.

ALONG FARM FRONT

E. A. Drake, Co. Agricultural Agent

Soil Conservation District Hearing

The Ohio Soil Conservation committee has announced that a public hearing for Greene County farmers relative to the organization of the proposed Greene County Soil Conservation District will be held at the State Office Building at Columbus, February 24.

The local project is sponsored by a county soil conservation district committee. Recently the county committee selected an executive group to circulate petitions toward creating a Valley Twp. chairman; Raymond Cherry, Cedarville Twp., vice chairman; Ben Beard, Jefferson Twp., secretary; Archie Peterson Miami Twp.; and William Wilkerson, Bath.

Snow Benefits Wheat

Snow has been called poor man's fertilizer. The snowfall this week besides furnishing food and drink to the wheat crop will also serve as a blanket to protect it from wintry blasts. While causing many inconveniences, the snow was greeted with relief by farmers who were commencing to see in the protracted dry spell a threat to current and future crops. The wheat crop which is in bad shape because of lack of moisture should be benefited and the supply of soil moisture will be replenished by the melting snow.

Eleven Delegates Attend Meeting

Greene County was represented by 11 voting delegates at the annual meeting of the Cincinnati Producers at the Netherland Plaza Hotel Thursday. The delegates who were selected at meeting of the livestock producers last month include Russel Fudge, New Jasper, Twp., Fred Dolins, Cedarville Twp., Raymond Wolf, Xenia Twp., Heber Keach Silvercreek Twp., Archie Peterson, Miami Twp., Wilbur Beard, Jefferson Twp., Harper Bickett, Xenia Twp., John Munger, Beavercreek Twp., Roger Collins, Cedarville Twp. and E. J. Ferguson, Beavercreek Twp.

Feed Fruit Trees Nitrogen

Fruit trees are well budded which indicates a better than average crop may be expected if weather conditions are favorable until after the blossoming period. Applications of nitrogen fertilizer is important in maintaining good yields of fruit over a period of years. Nitrogen fertilizer is plentiful this year and should be at the orchard now ready for application at the right time.

Order Nitrogen Fertilizer Early

One way to increase feed production in 1944 is to use nitrogen fertilizers on pasture and hay and as a plow down and side-dressing on corn. Adequate supplies of nitrogen chiefly in the form of ammonium nitrate and uramon are available at the sources of production. Ammonium nitrate carries 32.5 per cent nitrogen and uramon 42 percent. Since fertilizer companies are required to list by the fifth of each month the amount of nitrogen fertilizer they want the following month, it is important that farmers anticipate their needs and place orders early.

Less Canned Beef For Home Folks

Effective January 30, packers were instructed to set aside 80 percent of all their output of cutter and canner beef for government purchase. This class of beef is used principally for canning and for making processed meat such as ship and ground beef. Since September 1, there had been no limitation on the amount of this type packers could sell civilians. Present regulations will leave civilians only 20 percent of this grade of beef.

Support Prices for Tobacco, Beans

Tobacco prices beginning October 1, 1944, will be supported at a level equivalent to 90 percent of the parity price. Soybeans will be supported at \$1.94 per bushel for No. 3 on green and yellow beans carrying no more than 14 percent moisture. The support price for other colors will be \$1.74, premiums and discounts for high and low quality will apply.

Prune and Fertilize Grapes

Grape vines should be pruned each year. Probably the best time to prune grapes is about the middle of February. Early pruning will prevent bleeding at the ends. Grapes will show a quick response to nitrogen fertilizers. Apply a quarter pound of nitrogen fertilizer in a band 10 inches from the trunk of each vine about the time growth starts in the spring. Ammonium nitrate, sulphate of ammonia and nitrate of soda may be used.

CENSUS PUTS POPULATION AT 42,000

Greene county's population has taken quite a jump if the estimate by the census bureau is correct. This estimate is based on the number of ration books issued.

Most county officials can't figure the population at 42,988, a gain of 25.1 in a year. Most of the gain is listed as "trailer population" here today and gone tomorrow.

It is said a population of 42,000, if permanent would call for at least 10,000 personal property and classified tax returns. The auditor's office this year issued only 4700 blanks to taxpayers through the mails. The county can increase its tax collection greatly if the population has jumped to 42,000. There has been an increase in the population but not composed of permanent residents. Several reside in trailer camps and County Auditor is going to place these on the tax duplicate. When that is done there can be a safe estimate on the actual population. Many trailer residents will swear they have no permanent home here and do not vote here. If election registration and poll books are checked for such voters they then must be listed as residents will swear they have no

Physician Has Petitions Out For Senate Seat

Dr. F. M. Chambliss, Xenia, is a candidate for the Republican nomination for the Ohio State Senate in the Fifth-Sixth District comprising Ross, Highland, Fayette, Clinton, Greene counties. The district has had the rotation rule for many years and the nomination falls to this county this year.

Dr. Chambliss now has the endorsement of the Greene County Republican Committees and is to be endorsed by Fayette and Clinton counties and Ross county committee will meet later, as some members have expressed a desire to see the rotation rule continued. Highland county has not expressed itself on the rotation rule although it is known some members do not favor breaking the rule in the interest of party harmony.

Personal Tax Collection Now Under Way

County Auditor James J. Curlett has mailed personal and classified tax blanks to 4,700 citizens for returns to be filed with the Auditor by March 31, after which a penalty of 50% must be added to delinquent returns. The taxpayer can pay six months of the tax based on 1943 income and the balance later.

Deputies Ray McFarland, Steele Poague were here Tuesday at the mayor's office to take returns. E. H. Heathman represented County Treasurer Harold Fawcett in receiving payments.

The delegation will be in Jamestown Thursday and Friday, Feb. 17-18; in Springfield Valley, Feb. 21; Jefferson Twp. Bowersville, Feb. 23-24; Beavercreek School, Feb. 25; Y. Springs, March 1, 2, 3; Bath Twp. Osborn, on March 6 and 7; Fairfield, March 8 and 9.

CEMETERY TRUSTEES ELECT OFFICERS

At the annual meeting of the lot owners of Massies Creek Cemetery, Monday, Messrs. W. C. Iliff, Wm. Conley and Meryl Stormont were re-elected for terms of three years each. In the reorganization the following were elected: W. C. Iliff, president, R. S. Townsley, vice president; Meryl Stormont, secretary; Karl Bull, treasurer. H. K. Stormont, superintendent of grounds.

CHOSEN BOARD MEMBER

At the Board of Directors meeting of the Republic Mutual Insurance Co. Columbus, following the 9th annual meeting of the company, G. H. Hayman was elected as a member of the Auxiliary Board of Directors.

BUSINESS MEETING OF THE RESEARCH CLUB

The annual business meeting of the Research Club will be held Monday evening, Feb. 21st at 7:30 P. M. at the home of Mrs. Karl Bull. All members are requested to be present.

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THE CEDARVILLE HERALD

KARL BULL — — — EDITOR AND PUBLISHER
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"PSYCHONEUROTIC" IS NEW DEAL SLACKER DISEASE

For months and months Congress has been trying to force the Roosevelt—New Deal Democrats to disgorge thousands of draft age and single appointees in various federal departments. It is reported there are 35,000 such "essential" slackers in the City of Washington alone. We are informed most of these are sons and relatives of prominent Democratic politicians and office holders or boys from the cities that have strong administration backing to escape the draft. With the use of "essential" as a cloak to protect the boys the administration has tied the hands of the draft officials, who are alone responsible to Franklin D. Roosevelt, as commander-in-chief.

Congress changed the draft law some months ago to force these slackers into the army but with the White House and "Nutt" McNutt, daily fixing schemes to keep these slackers behind government desks while Democratic boys without pull are in the fox-holes and Italian front lines, Congress has once more opened up the subject. Things on draft lines in the District of Columbia have been so rotten board members this week complained to a House committee. Some boards have ignored the plea for deferment of the slackers but New Deal officials or politicians appeal each case to a dummy Roosevelt board that reverses the local draft boards in the city. It would be startling news to know how many deferments have Franklin D. Roosevelt's name attached. Congress should demand that the names of these slackers with high up officials endorsing be made public. It would be interesting reading to Democratic families that have boys scattered all over the world.

One District of Columbia draft board member testified that he made an examination of deferments and found hundreds of New Dealers of draft age listed under medical examination as "Psychoneurotic," a fancy term for "yellow slackers" out of the ranks with consent and approval of administration leaders. The slacker situation in the industrial group around Dayton is probably no different than around Washington, D. C.

Congress passed a law to defer fathers until all single prospects were in the service. Immediately Roosevelt and McNutt with the aid of high officials started to plan a way to circumvent the drafting of relatives and political appointees hiding behind a government job. Testimony given the House committee Monday showed a "point" system had been cooked up whereby each job holder could get "points" and with the required number, given out by New Deal officials, the job holder could continue to fill the slacker roll and at the same time draw a fat salary at the expense of millions of income taxpayers. And the Democratic press defends an administration that protect slackers on government pay while boys from Republican and Democratic families without pull, fight and die for \$50 a month for a YELLOW NEW DEAL DEMOCRACY and who is there that can say—NAY?

HIGHLIGHTS ON BRICKER LINCOLN DAY ADDRESS

It would be impossible for us to reproduce the Lincoln Day address of Gov. John W. Bricker in Washington, D. C. but we have taken a few of the outstanding quotations from that address, which was the first step in his bid for the Republican nomination for president:

"In Lincoln's day the question was shall America remain a nation. In our day the question is shall the nation remain American."

"The Republican party is the liberal party in America. The New Deal is reactionary."

"The New Deal is the American counterpart of the sweep of absolutism which has destroyed so much liberty around the world."

"I believe that the safest program for our country lies not in fitful movements of reform and reaction but in steady progress through adherence to our representative system of government."

"In time of war when men and women are dying to preserve free government, including the right of labor itself to organize, no group or no union shall be permitted to strike."

"The time has come to support the millions of workers who want to work and to quit dodging selfish labor leaders for the sake of votes which they say they can deliver in an election."

"Winning the war is not a partisan opportunity. It is an American responsibility. All of us resent the effort of any political leader to make 'Win the War' a political slogan."

"I am more interested in winning the coming election for the Republican party and in defeating the New Deal philosophy of government than I am in being president of the United States."

"There are many leaders in our party who would make excellent candidates for the presidency and whom I would be proud to support and who, if elected, would do the job that must be done to save the priceless heritage of this republic. The New Deal has only one candidate."

"I am of the opinion that our paramount task at war's end is to restore order and sanity to the fiscal affairs."

"It is high time that every citizen knows where the New Deal fiscal policy of spend, waste, borrow and tax, if continued, will lead our country. The first result will be the loss of autonomy of the state governments."

"If we pursue deficit financing in the post-war period, we shall inevitably reach the point where, barring wholesale inflation, private enterprise will be unable to keep labor fully employed."

"A balanced federal budget at the earliest possible time after the war is won will create more jobs than all the projects government can devise."

"Nothing would encourage the American people more, nothing would enhance the war effort to a greater degree than to send back into productive industry or to the army or navy the hundreds of thousands of unnecessary federal employees."

"If a cabinet member is unable to handle his problems, get one who can, instead of substituting a bureau."

NOTICE!

We have on track 1 Car of Columbia Gray Wisconsin Seed Oats, the kind that made good in this vicinity last year.

1 Car of Ground Government Wheat in bags. This is a wonderful feeding value

150 Bushel Choice Ohio, Michigan and Idaho Little Red Clover Seed. We may not be able to supply all of our trade with this seed as it is scarce and hard to find. We are selling it a little under the Government ceiling price.

FRANK CRESWELL



Governor John W. Bricker must be regarded as duly fit for presidential timber. While in Washington the Governor gave a press interview at his hotel when several score news men gave him the "onceover" and in rapid-fire shot questions of the day and the future to him—and he gave them forthright answers. There was no "dunce-cap stuff" from Hyde Park, such as Ham Fish's neighbor resorts to among newsmen when he is not in a giggling humor. The Governor also addressed the National Press Club at a luncheon dinner with some four hundred newsmen present. Have you heard anyone say following the Bricker to Washington "What is his policy to be?" So far Bricker at the one time Roosevelt stage of a political campaign, publicly stated if elected he would reduce government spending twenty-five per cent. In contrast Roosevelt and Willkie want taxes increased ten times what they were under Hoover.

We have received a copy of an eastern daily paper that discusses Bricker's visit to Washington and his Lincoln Day address. The name of Lincoln stinks in the breath of the editorial triumvirate of that paper. We scanned the mast head and found it hard to find an Anglo-Saxon name in the list. It sounded more like the registration list of voters in some Bovey precinct in New York City.

The New Deal press continues to worry about the cry keeping the soldier's from voting. Roosevelt cried fraud to take public attention off his "bob-tailed ballot." In fact it has been Roosevelt that was trying to keep soldiers from voting—other than for himself. Under the FDR plan no soldier could vote for either a Republican or Democratic candidate for any office. The Republicans are fighting to give the soldier a chance to vote for all candidates if he chooses. If he is good enough to fight, and some are only 18 years of age, not even legal voting-age and drafted in the Roosevelt-Churchill army, why should not these boys all be given a chance to vote?

We received five letters last week from boys in camp either direct to the writer or through parents. All are up in the air about the voting issue and they can see it is a trick to force them to vote for Roosevelt or not at all. If a voting plan is adopted by Congress and the army and navy is to supervise, some stiff requirements should be placed over these officers, who can answer only to the White House dictator. The army has a black name now on million dollar cost-plus war profits. How can the American public accept army or navy voting directions in the face of grafting scandals recently exposed and not even denied by Franklin D.

Some of these letters have rather pointed jabs at the present administration. Some hints of what the boys already know first-hand, makes you feel certain they will want to ballot more than ever. We dare not use the names of boys that divulge certain information, not military, but the corruption and politics among leaders in certain government agencies. To use a name would suffer the lad to the punishment that would crush him for the duration and no one could say what else might happen. If you displace a dictator, you take your chances on your liberty? For example there are Hitler and Stalin.

There is much comment on how a Clark county jury lifts the value of farm land where the \$800,000 federal grant municipal airport is to be located. City appraisers must have fixed "fair values" in a dark room some Sunday afternoon. The jury is allowing liberal values where farmers must give up their life-time homes for an airport. The worst we see in the confiscation of the land in question is that it is probably as productive as any other land in the county, and yet the government squanders nearly a million dollars to destroy all the efforts of several generations at the time a call goes out for more food production. We do not oppose airports. Whether now is the time to spend income tax money for such purpose we are a bit doubtful. If the plan is headed that we need fourteen billion dollars in war bonds today and seventeen billion more four months from now, it may be hard to convince the idea that taxes or bonds will be necessary to win the war if \$800,000 goes of tax money goes for other purposes we think can wait for the duration. It cannot be argued that such an airport in that particular location is need for the war effort when there are two large airports 20 miles away at Dayton.

"Old Die-Hard" Winchell, the key-hole peeper for so-called society and bally-hoo artist for the New Deal, had to take his "gall and wormwood" in public Sunday night. Winchell to lead or mislead the public in behalf of the Fifth Avenue social set in Washington discussed his own blunders in public because the Daily Mirror carried an editorial disagreeing with some statements the previous Sunday evening. The Mirror carries the Winchell column and sells publication rights to newspapers under a protective copyright. From the tone of Winchell's voice, and the manner in which he "took his dose" he evidently found the New Deal sand under his feet as slipping away.

One must admire Paul E. Brown, Ohio State Coach, when he publicly announced that he would not ask for deferment when his draft number was called. Football fans about the OSU have suggested that he be deferred for athletic reasons. He is the father of three children but Brown says he will not take deferment. Contrast the idol of the football world with the slackers in the motion picture world yet regarded as "essential" on the screen to keep the world happy and you might say unmindful of the cause millions of boys are making a personal sacrifice. Then there is the New Deal slacker of draft age and single hiding behind a government desk as "essential." They are called "Roosevelt's yellow pets" by the boys in the camps. And yet New Deal politicians would have you believe the soldiers demand the Roosevelt federal ballot.

Here is about the picture the man in uniform has of the Roosevelt proposal:

For President: Franklin D. Roosevelt

For Vice-President: Franklin D. Roosevelt

Precinct Presiding Judge: Franklin D. Roosevelt

Precinct Clerk: Franklin D. Roosevelt

Challenger: Franklin D. Roosevelt

We have never seen one of Hitler's ballots, anyhow we would not want to use that form for the boys in service. The above form would meet all the requirements of a one man government under a New Deal democracy.

One of our boys in service writing home pens this "If there is any doubt about the Republican party being dead in an army camp, just spend a month with them and find out for themselves."

If your son in the service wants to spend a winter vacation under the Florida sun and the Miami moon, he can do so but he may have a better chance if his name was "Roosevelt." We imagine what is being said by hundreds of thousands of boys in all branches of the service: when they read about the army and navy life of a Roosevelt. Just now another of the family with "dad" commissions awaits a new title at Miami where he is enjoying the wonderful Florida vacation weather. One day you read of one or more of the family being with dad in Africa or on the high seas and again occasionally a New York paper in the social column gives an account of a son of the first family at an exclusive "night club" one of the social "hot spots"—all fighting for "dad's" brand of democracy.

The Associated Press carried an unusual story Wednesday relative to an opening of the CIO union service men's canteen in Washington, D. C. The event was brought to light by Cong. Charles McKenzie, Democrat, Louisiana. It seems Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt attended the opening. The Louisiana Congressman asked the following question: "How can any one be a party to encouraging white girls into the arms of Negro soldiers at a canteen dance while singing 'Let Me Call You Sweetheart'?" The Congressman received permission to have his remarks printed in the Congressional Record. The AP reports says Mrs. Roosevelt took part in the singing of songs including "Waltzing Matilda" and "Let Me Call You Sweetheart." Followers of the New Deal should request publication of the CIO canteen opening last Sunday night in their club and farm papers.

Dorothy Thompson, so-called columnist, a half-backed Socialist, who advocates most any issue that has a tinge of either Socialism or Communism, had a set back some days ago by the editor of the Cleveland Plain Dealer, Democratic, that has carried her column. Miss Thompson, who once had the name of Lewis by her marriage to a Socialist writer, took it upon herself in the interest of her idol, the great internationalist advocate, Franklin D. Roosevelt, to smear Gov. John W. Bricker, as the leader of an "Ohio gang." The editor of Cleveland's leading paper, dressed the feminine New Yorker in present day fashion. It is about time Ohio citizens awake to the fact that the nation is soon to fall completely in the hands of "social trash" as devoid of moral principal as the common hare is of the day of the week. The Plain Dealer is a Democratic paper and also carries the J. Franklin column for the Ontario st. clientele. We often wondered how the Plain Dealer reached the subscribers. The Franklin column was usually "hotter than anything Stalin ever proposed even to

his hay-day of burning churches and slaughtering priests and rabbis. The Plain Dealer from past editorial comment has not thought much of Roosevelt. Gov. Bricker has had open support on many issues by the Plain Dealer, because the editor knew he was right and not afraid to stand by that kind of a decision. The panning given Miss Thompson will cause much comment in and out of newspaper circles.

CHURCH NOTES

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. R. A. Jamieson, D. D., Minister
Sabbath School 10 A. M. Supt. Harold Dobbins.

Prereading 11, A. M.
Theme, "The Book of Ruth" (Do not forget to read this wonderful book.)
Y. P. C. U. 6:30 P. M. Subject, Theme: "My Neighbor, the Jew." Leader, Harold Stormont.

The Ministerial Association has planned for six Wednesday evening union services, leading up to Easter, in the Lenten season. The first of these services will be held next week, Feb. 23rd in our church, at 7:30 P. M. There will be two services in each church; the first two will be held in the U. P. Church, and all are most cordially invited to share in the blessing which is promised to those who thus gather in the Lord's House for prayer and meditation upon God's Holy Word.

The World's Day of Prayer will be observed in a union service in the Methodist Church, Fri. of next week, Feb. 25th at 2 P. M.

Communion will be observed one week from this Sabbath, Feb. 27. Preparatory services will be held as usual Friday at 7:30 P. M. and Sat. at 2 P. M. by Dr. S. R. Jamieson of Oxford, Ohio. The dates are Feb. 25 and 26.

Do not forget the Special Emergency Offering to be taken Sabbath, February 20 for our Five Denominational Colleges. The General Assembly directed this offering, and set a goal of one dollar per member.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. H. H. Abels, D. D., Minister.
Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Supt. Mrs. David Reynolds.

Church Service 11:00 A. M.
Theme: "His View of Prayer," continuing the series on the Life of Christ.

Methodist Youth Fellowship Vesper Service 5:00 P. M. Leaders, Ethel Taylor and Betty Townsley.
The Wesley Weds will hold a class party at the home of Mrs. A. E. Richards, their teacher, Wednesday evening at 7:30, February 23.

The regular meeting of the Golden Rule Class will be Feb. 24, in the evening.

The sermon topic the following Sunday will be "The Role of Messiah."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Paul Elliott, Minister
10:00 A. M. Sabbath School. Mrs. Ira D. Vayhinger, Supt.

11:00 A. M. Morning Worship. Sermon by Pres. Ira D. Vayhinger, subject, "Pearls for Pearls."
2:30 P. M. Meeting of Trustees, Elders, and Church Treasurers.
6:45 Christian Endeavor.

7:45 School of Missions. Speakers, Mrs. Ira D. Vayhinger and Miss Teresa Honda.

Wednesday, Feb. 23rd at 7:30 P. M. A Union Lenten Service of Prayer at the United Presbyterian Church.

Thursday, Feb. 24, the Women's Missionary Society Covered Dish Luncheon at the home of Mrs. H. D. Furst, Mrs. S. C. Wright and Mrs. F. A. Jurkat assisting. Rolls and coffee will be provided. Members are asked to bring their own table service. The program leader is Mrs. Elliott.

Friday afternoon, Feb. 25, the Annual World's Day of Prayer for Missions in this church. This service will be in charge of women from the three churches.

Choir Rehearsal Saturday 7:45 p.m.

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PROCEEDINGS OF NOTICE FOR DIVORCE

George Kenneth Carmen, whose address is Private George Kenneth Carmen, A. S. N. 6988342, 37 Prov. Sqdn., A. P. O. 12567-D, In Care of Postmaster, New York, New York, is hereby notified that Erma B. Carmen has filed her petition against the said George Kenneth Carmen for divorce and custody of children in Case No. 23405 of the Court of Common Pleas of Greene County, Ohio, alleging gross neglect of duty, and that said case will be for hearing on or after the 18th day of March, 1944, and if answer is not filed by that date, judgment may be taken.

(2-4-6t-3-10)
ERMA B. CARMEN, Plaintiff
By Morris D. Rice, Her Attorney

LEGAL NOTICE
Eugene C. Rice, residing at Dormitory B, Warner Robins, Ga., will take notice that on the 11th day of January, 1944, Marjorie Rice filed her certain petition for divorce against him on the grounds of gross neglect of duty. Said cause of action, being case No. 23393 on the Docket of the Common Pleas Court, Greene County, Ohio. That said cause will come on for hearing on or after the 26th day of February, 1944.

MARCUS SHOUP,
Attorney for Plaintiff
(1-14-6t-2-18)

LEGAL NOTICE
Marion H. Swain, A. S. B-578 residing at United States Maritime Service Training Station, Sheepshead Bay, Brooklyn, N. Y. will take notice that on the 3rd day of January, 1944, Helen V. Swain filed her certain action against him, for divorce on the grounds of extreme cruelty being case No. 23387, on the Docket of the Common Pleas Court of Greene County, Ohio, said cause will come on for hearing on or after the 19th day of February, 1944.

MARCUS SHOUP,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
(1-7-6t-2-11)

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
Estate of Minnie Kockentiet, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that George Kockentiet has been duly appointed as Administrator of the estate of Minnie Kockentiet, deceased, late of Beaver Creek Township, Greene County, Ohio.
Dated this 22nd day of January, 1944.

WILLIAM B. McALLISTER,
Judge of the Probate Court,
Greene County, Ohio.

LEGAL NOTICE
Willie Jordan, Jr., whose place of residence is 900 C. D. A. S. N. 34-718,845, Van Couver Barracks, Washington, is hereby notified that Helen M. Jordan has filed a petition against him in Common Pleas Court, Greene County, Ohio, the same being Case No. 23410, praying for a divorce on the grounds of gross neglect of duty and that said cause will come on for hearing on or after the 18th day of March, 1944.

DAN M. AULTMAN,
Attorney for Helen M. Jordan

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Club and Social Activities

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Union Lenton Services of Prayer will be held the first six Wednesday evenings of Lent, beginning February 23rd at the United Presbyterian Church.

Word has been received here that John W. Williamson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Williamson, is now at Seymour Johnson Field, N. C. for technical training in the Aviation Cadet Pre-Technical School. He entered the service Aug. 21, 1942.

T. Sgt. Russell L. Bowman, and wife, (nee Eloise Randall) are announcing the arrival of a daughter at the McClellan Hospital, Tuesday. Sgt. Bowman is now overseas in military service. Mrs. Bowman is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Randall.

Pvt. and Mrs. Edward Carlisle, Xenia, R. 4, announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Charlene, at Springfield City Hospital, Feb. 6. The mother was Miss Ruth Ellen Denney. Pvt. Carlisle who has been here on a furlough returned Thursday, to his station at Camp Adair, Oregon.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul Elliott enjoyed a visit this week of their sons, both of whom are in the armed forces. Sgt. Robert Aitken is an air cadet and was enroute from Miami Beach, Fla. to California. Sgt. Frank S. Elliott is stationed at Waycross, Ga. and here on a furlough.

Dr. W. R. McChesney will address the Republican Woman's Club in Springfield next Thursday at 2 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. He has been asked to talk on the proposed "booth" ballot now before Congress. Dr. McChesney will preach Sabbath for the Jamestown U. P. congregation.

Mrs. Ned Brown, Washington D. C. spent last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Tobin of Jamestown. She was joined Saturday by her husband, Ned Brown, and both visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Brown of this place. Ned is a musician 1-c and an instructor and Publicity director in the Navy School of Music, Washington, D. C. Miss Lois Brown, who is a student at Ohio State University, came home Sunday and spent the day with the family.

Mrs. Lucy Barber was honored on her ninetieth birthday at an open house tea at the home of Mrs. Warren Barber, Thursday, Feb. 3rd. Mr. Warren Barber, Mrs. Harry Waddle, Mrs. Mae Aiken, Mrs. Fred Townsend and Mrs. Albert Powers were hostesses for the occasion. About seventy-five guests including friends from Columbus, Dayton and Xenia were present. Mrs. Barber was the recipient of many cards, flowers, and gifts. She has been a lifelong resident of Cedarville and has taken an active part in community and church affairs.

The K. Y. N. Club will meet this Friday afternoon, (Feb. 18) at the home of Mrs. John Powers, in Cedarville. Assisting hostess will be Mrs. Ralph Rife. Roll call responses will be displaying a childhood valentine.

Word was received here Thursday afternoon of the death of Henry H. Denney, 74, at his home in Osborn. He was a former resident of this place and left here 27 years ago. He was a son of the late Martin Denney. Surviving are his wife, Ada and two daughters, Mrs. Viola Rowe, Dayton, and Miss Edith at home, also two sons, Walter and Ralph, Osborn and a sister Mrs. Myrtle Beacham, Dayton, and a brother, J. W. Denney at Eanon. Burial will be at North Cemetery here but no date has been announced at this time.

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Selected Short Subjects

CEDAR CLIFF CHAPTER D. A. R. ENJOYS WASHINGTON TEA

The Cedar Cliff Chapter D. A. R. enjoyed a Washington tea last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Donald Kyle. Ten tables were decorated with spring flowers and Mrs. David McElroy, regent, presided at the tea service. Mrs. Walter Condon, chaplain, led in devotions and the flag salute and a business session followed. Delegates appointed for the Continental Congress at New York City in April were Mrs. McElroy and Mrs. George Bracey, with Mrs. R. T. Williamson, Mrs. M. J. Bahin, Mrs. Edwin Kyle, Mrs. Fred Dobbins, and Mrs. Frank Creswell as alternates.

A request was made for books and magazines to be sent to service camps. Anyone having them is to call Miss Wilma Spencer, chapter librarian. Books the size of "Reader's Digest" or larger. A request was made for flower seeds for local service camps.

Mrs. Anna Wilson reviewed a magazine article, "A Simple Story of Simple People". Mrs. Kyle was assisted by Mrs. Burton Turner and Mrs. Howard Turnbull.

HOME CULTURE CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. W. C. ILIFF

Mrs. W. C. Iliff was hostess Tuesday afternoon to twenty-six members and guests of the Home Culture Club. Mrs. Anna Little was chairman of the program committee.

The topic was "Islands of the South Pacific", and Mrs. Little read a letter from a relative in the service in that area and a paper on "New Guinea" was read by Mrs. J. H. Nagley. Mrs. Cora Trumbo read and interesting paper on "New Zealand".

Dr. H. H. Abels explained the proposed "Hospital Care" program. A salad course was served by the hostess. Mrs. Della Johnson, president, presided at the tea table.

The Woman's Club was entertained last Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Ina Murdock when forty members and guests were present. Mrs. W. R. McChesney gave a book review on "Under Cover" and Mrs. Paul Elliott led in a song service of war songs. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The W.C.T.U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Ed Payne, Friday, Feb. 18, at 2 P. M. Recognition to Francis Willard Memorial Day was given in answer to roll call. Devotions were by Mrs. R. A. Jamieson. Mrs. J. M. Auld directed a discussion on "Meeting the Challenge for 1944", and other selected topics. The Cedarville Union has just completed a project of making overseas bags for soldiers under the auspices of the Red Cross.

We were unable to give a complete report on the Special One-Day bond and stamp drive by the schools this week. A full report next week.

The Greene County Basketball Tournament opens in Xenia this Friday evening at the Field House, the opening game being between S. Valley and Bryan with Jefferson and Ross for the second. The latter has won 15 straight games and is picked for the championship.

For Sale: Two lots along Clifton pike just north of the George Gordon property. See C. C. Brewer, Cedarville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lauris Straley entertained a group of friends at their home on Saturday evening. Refreshments were in Valentine appointments of red and white. Prizes for bridge were won by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lillie, Mrs. Mark Bingham and Mr. Wayne Persinger. Guests for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Engle, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lillie of Cedarville; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bingham and son, Maynard, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wenzel, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gray and son David, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Persinger, Mr. and Mrs. Elden Heinz of Jamestown; Mr. and Mrs. Dilbert Mowery of Jeffersonville; Mr. and Mrs. Paul McClellan and son, Bobby, of Xenia, Mr. and Mrs. Straley and sons, Donald, Billy and Gene.

EXPRESSION OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends and relatives who either by their presence or by cards and letters participated in the celebration of my birthday. Your kindness was deeply appreciated and will be long remembered.

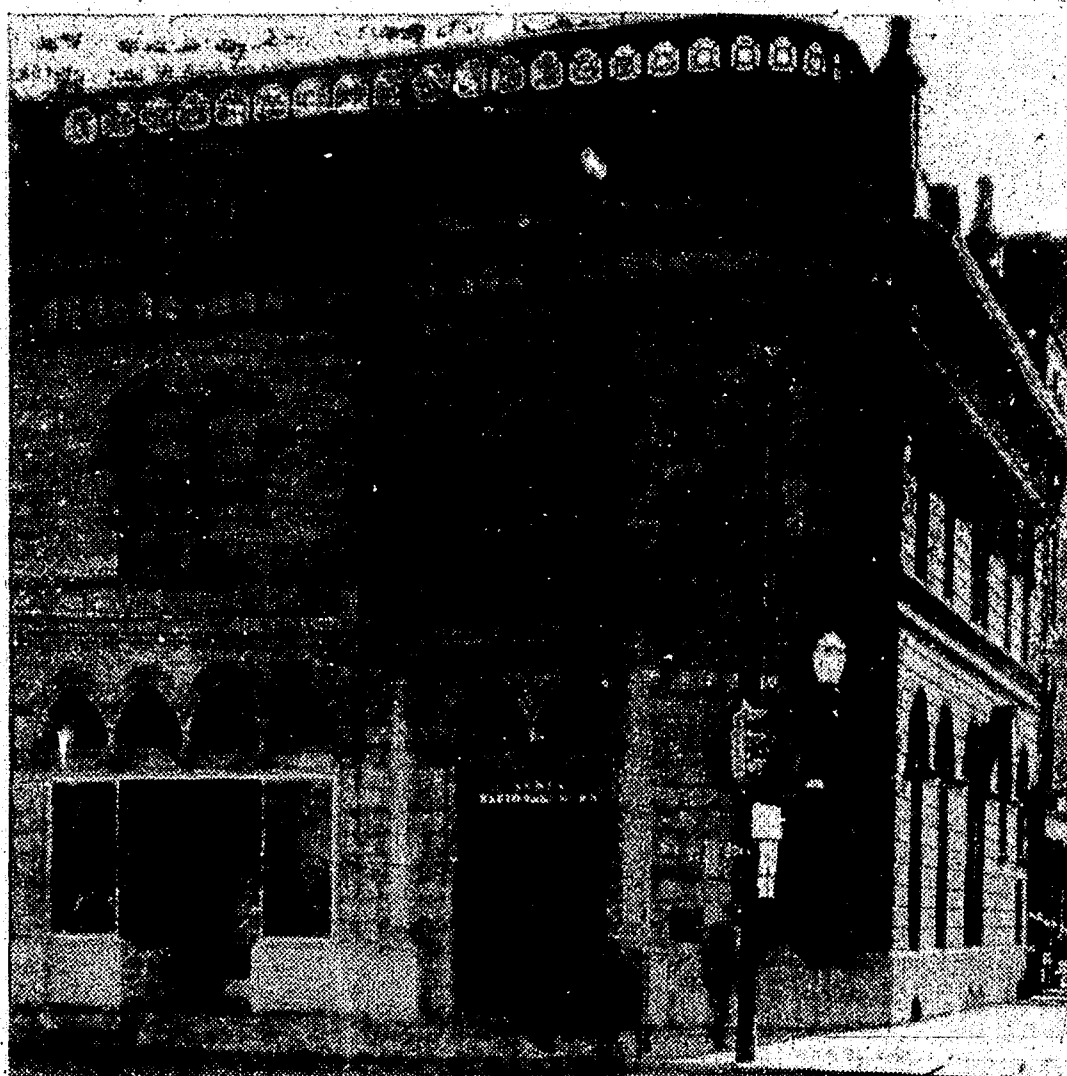
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Washington Letter

(Continued from first page)

In recent years, and the Governor's speech was well received by his enthusiastic and appreciative listeners. Governor Bricker was the guest of delegation in the Spangler's Dining Room at the Capitol, Thursday noon, and Friday was the principal speaker at a luncheon given in his honor by the National Press Club. Mrs. Bricker was honor guest at a number of delightful social functions during her visit in the capital city.

The government sends out as penalty mail, and, therefore, postage free, one out of every sixteen letters mailed in the United States. This would be a sufficient number to send every one of the thirty million families of the United States an average of sixty government letters a year. Incidentally, the government uses more than one twentieth of all the paper consumed in the United States. No wonder we have a paper shortage.

A special plane with a luxurious office, bedroom and bath, as well as elevator, is being built for the President by the Douglas Aircraft Corporation of California. Some of the Republican leaders are wondering if the President is planning inspection trips to the armed forces in 1944 in lieu of the "inspection" trips made to the war plants throughout the country in the preparedness days of 1940.

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Mary E. Bird, Admrx. of Robert Fred Bird, Dec'd. Telephone, Cedarville, 6-2844, or Robert H. Wead, Attorney, Xenia, Ohio. (4t).

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of Aletha Bird, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that Mary E. Bird has been duly appointed as administratrix of the estate of Aletha S. Bird, deceased, late of Cedarville, Greene County, Ohio.

Dated this 2nd day of February, 1944.

PROBATE COURT

Settlement of Accounts

Accounts and Vouchers in the following named persons and estates have filed in the Probate Court of Greene County, for inspection, settlement and record, and unless there is a motion filed for hearing same on or before the 18th day of March, 1944, they will be ordered confirmed and recorded.

First and Final Accounts
Bertha Rae Brill Deger, Agent by order of the Probate Court of Thelma Iona Brill, a Minor.
Jane Frame, Executrix John T. Frame, deceased.
Walter Cullice, Admr. Margaret M. Hagler, deceased.
Winifred H. Armstrong, Executrix, Allegra E. Hawes, deceased.
Wm. A. Miller, Admr. William Priest, deceased.
First, Final and Distributive Account
First, Final and Distributive Accounts
L. L. Bickett, Exr. D. D. Bickett, deceased.
May B. Jones, Guardian of David Balch Jones, a minor.
Helen W. McCoy, Admr. Sarah Walton, deceased.

Miscellaneous Accounts
Oscar J. Adams, Guardian, William S. Adams and Charles G. Adams, Second and Final Account.
Della Beal, Executrix Melville Franklin Beal, Deceased, Statement in Lieu of an Account.
C. E. Bradstreet, Executor Ina F. Bradstreet, deceased, Statement in Lieu of and for Final Account.
Helen M. Slagle, Admr. William F. Croft, deceased, First Account.
Cora B. Curl, Administratrix Joseph Curl, deceased, Statement in Lieu of and for an account.
M. C. Smith and Lemma Dodd, Executors of John P. Dodd, deceased, Eleventh Account.
R. G. Beck, Guardian of Mary F. Hargrave, a Minor, 6th and Final Account.
Kathleen Johnson Larch, Admr. Terrell Johnson, deceased, Statement in Lieu of and for an Account.
Charles Rulls, Guardian James N. Ralls, Seventeenth Account.
George Stackhouse, Admr. Clara Stackhouse, deceased, Statement in Lieu of and for an Account.
Sarah Dinwiddie, Guardian, Perry Weller, Incompetent, Second Account. February 17, 1944.

WILLIAM B. McALLISTER

Judge of the Probate Court, Greene County, Ohio.

SPRINGFIELD, OHIO

The Steel Products Engineering Co. of National Importance—Aids War Program

Springfield is known throughout the nation for its manufacturing industries. Springfield products are given up to be among the best produced in the United States.

One of Springfield's industrial group that has consistently tried to live up to the highest standards in its field is The Steel Products Engineering Company at 1205 W. Columbia. As a result of this policy, its products are recognized as the very best on the market.

The Steel Products Engineering Company has built this sort of reputation by insisting that only the best materials are used in their plant. The workmen being highly skilled, efficient men who have many years experience behind them. At the present time 100% of their work is in the interest of the nation's war program—the manufacture of products essential to the war effort.

These factors, combined with an interest in Springfield as a whole and a desire to see Springfield advance, make it impossible in this 4th War Loan Issue to overlook. The Steel Products Engineering Company as an industry that always has been helping to build Springfield and this part of Ohio.

The payroll alone of The Steel Products Engineering Co., is of direct benefit to every merchant in this area, and employee's through the medium of their pay-checks take their proper place in the commonwealth of our community. We congratulate this industry on a splendid record of service and wish for them many years of successful operation.

BUY AND HOLD "E" BONDS

Save Your Valuable Time

Bennett's Auto Park In Springfield

It is a wise man who parks his car at the handiest, most convenient parking place in Springfield. That spot is Bennett's Auto Park, located at 60 W. Main st. To the readers of our paper we most urgently call attention to this handy spot close to the center of the city. Think of the quick access to hotels, theatres, public buildings and business offices of Springfield. At this progressive auto park you have protected parking, freedom from smashed fenders, traffic parking tickets and chicanery.

A trained attendant greets you as you enter and from then on all the responsibilities rest with Bennett's Auto Park. Washing, greasing and polishing services are provided for those who wish them. You will find the prices right and the entire staff on their toes to make you appreciate their really friendly duties. Remember when you think "Time is money," say to yourself, "Bennett's Auto Park."

We take this opportunity to congratulate A. L. Jacobs, the manager and his staff for their real service to Springfield residents and visitors. Remember 60 W. Main st.

CARL T. RIDENOUR

POULTRY DEALER

—YOUR FRIENDLY NEIGHBOR

The Cedarville Herald, covering as it does, a rural district, feels that it may well recommend to its readers one of the firms which has served the district well.

Carl T. Ridenour Co., makes a business of buying and selling poultry. They enjoy a splendid reputation over the period of the firm's existence. The service rendered to the community by Carl T. Ridenour is well appreciated by the farmers and others who have poultry to sell. Numbers of satisfied friends of this concern live in this district and always speak in the highest terms of any dealings they have had with this concern, located in Springfield at 19 S. Center st. Phone 2-4171. Back America's 4th War Loan!

BUY AND HOLD "E" BONDS

Wanted—To rent 5 room house, semi-modern. Renter employed permanent position. Address W. P. McCauley, R. R. 4, Springfield. Phone 2-4777. Collect.



Best by actual test—Big "M" Brand quality fertilizers. Made by independently owned and operated company—all materials in every formula tested to insure maximum food value for crop intended. The Big "M" Brand is your guarantee of complete results.

SOLD BY LEADING DEALERS IN YOUR COMMUNITY

SPRINGFIELD, OHIO

BUY AND HOLD "E" BONDS

HIGH QUALITY PRODUCTS MARK SUCCESS OF THE INCUBATOR COMPANY

Much is being done to aid in giving Springfield a commercial prestige by the activities of The Bundy Incubator Co., Manufacturers of Quality Incubators and Separate Hatchers. The volume of business transacted, the quality of their products, and the business methods of the company are responsible for the reputation they have won throughout the nation.

To keep their organization complete, it is necessary that the Bundy Incubator Co., employ a large number of people at all times. As a result, thousands of dollars are placed in circulation locally that would never find their way here, if it were not for their efforts.

Determined to furnish Incubators and Separate Hatchers of quality upon a reasonable margin of profit, the business of the Bundy Incubator Co., has flourished and expanded.

Their name is constantly before the public, and their products have firmly established them as a leader in the manufacture of Quality Incubators and Separate Hatchers in Springfield at 310 N. Greenmount av. Phone 6468.

BUY AND HOLD "E" BONDS

THE BAUER BROS. CO. "Credit To War Effort"

In presenting for the consideration of Springfield's Industrial Group the name of The Bauer Bros. Co., we feel that we are giving credit to a firm which has had a great deal to do with the growth and progress of the city of Springfield. The Bauer Bros. Co., has been in business here for many years, and during the period has established a reputation for honest business here for many years, and during the period has established a reputation for honest business practices which is beyond criticism. Industry of this kind is an asset to the interest of "America's War Program," and it is due to the presence here of these concerns that Springfield has assumed the important position in world affairs which it now holds.

Payrolls are a vital necessity to the development of a city and we feel therefore that the payroll of Bauer Bros. Co. contributes in no small manner to the prosperity of this community. Our citizens should be truly grateful for the presence in Springfield of such a locally owned and operated industry. Support America's 4th War Loan.

Springfield Machine Tool Co.

Credit To Springfield Industry

One of Springfield's Industrial groups that has assumed the position of an Ohio institution is the Springfield Machine Tool Co., Springfield. This progressive concern has been operating in Springfield for many years and during that time has more than contributed its share to the progress of the state. The Springfield Machine Tool Co. maintains a very important payroll in our community. This payroll is of the greatest importance to our district and the employees of the company are able, through the medium of their pay checks to take their rightful places in the general scheme of civic progress.

We believe that firms of this kind are the biggest assets that a city can have. Our readers will appreciate what this industry and others like it have accomplished in the interest of "America's War Program." It is a duty which each of us owe to our state to support such companies as the Springfield Machine Tool Co., which has done so many things for the good of all. We compliment this firm again on a splendid record of achievement and hope for a continuation of its success.

RHOADES PAPER BOX CO. DESERVES CREDIT

Any business to be permanently successful must be founded on the principles of honesty, fair dealing and giving full value for the price asked. From this there can be no deviation regardless of economic or other conditions.

The Rhoades Paper Box Co., 66 St. Johns Place, Springfield, under the management of Mr. Norman McGregor, Manufacturers of Set-up Boxes, Industrial Mailing and Fancy Boxes in the interest of the Boxes, Industrial Mailing and factory and fancy boxes in the interest of the war effort, is a matter of actual fact well known to the public.

In making this "4th War Loan" review of the progress of Springfield and vicinity, we are glad to call the attention of our readers to the advantage to the community of having such firms located here. The commanding position they occupy in the business world is due to their undiminished living up to their original ideal—to furnish the public with the best. Phone 2-1291.

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BELMONT AV. UNION STOCK YARDS

Among the livestock interest throughout Ohio upon which the farmers and livestock men of our territory depend a great deal is the Belmont Av. Union Stock Yards, 1224 Columbus av., The Belmont av. Union Stock Yards, in Springfield, has always exerted every effort to be of service to livestockmen and farmers and has made hundreds of friends in this locality.

Today the stock yards company operates the best scale equipment obtainable, where both buyers and sellers of livestock are invited to see their stock weighed and determine for themselves the efficiency of the weighing service they perform.

We know that livestock and farm readers of our paper hold a warm feeling for the Belmont Av. Union Stock Yards.

Howard Schultz (Mgr. of the Belmont Av. Union Stock Yards), has made a study of the problems that confront our farmers and livestock men, and the services offered by this organization are such that we could not omit them in this "Buy a share in America Issue." Make it a point to drop in at the Belmont Av. Union Stock Yards soon and you are sure to receive a hearty welcome. Phone 5731.

BUY AND HOLD "E" BONDS

The James Leffell Co., Credit To Springfield Industry

When a newspaper is publishing a "4th War Loan Issue" such as this one, the reader deserves complete information as to the types and varieties of business which combine to make up the business world and the territory in which that edition is published.

A definite type of the business and manufacturing firms included in this "4th War Loan Program" is the activities and contributions of the James Leffell Co., in Springfield, Ohio.

The James Leffell Co. is more than merely a manufacturing organization. The officials are men who look into the future with the idea that a better and improved Springfield means better and improved business conditions.

With this foresight as an ideal, The James Leffell Co. under the direction of J. Robert Groff, Pres., and Gen. Mgr., has always been represented in civic affairs and each of the company's executives have shown a willingness to take part in every program which was designed to improve and show that Springfield is a city in which a manufacturing organization can establish itself with a definite future in mind.

Bolen's Transfer and Storage

Is Highly Recommended

Bolen's Transfer & Storage is a firm which this paper feels can be recommended to its readers with the greatest confidence. We have confidence in the company's record of excellence in its field and confidence in the determination of its manager, Chester Bolen, to constantly improve their service until no other firm in the city can approach it for outstanding merit.

Bolen's Transfer & Storage has been in business for many years, and over that period of time has made thousands of friends throughout the state. The firm is completely equipped with the most modern trucks, and has facilities for handling the most difficult of moving jobs with speed and dispatch, and the man who wishes packing, crating, shipping and moving may with confidence turn the job over to this reliable firm, safe in the knowledge that it will be delivered to destination on time and in tact. The firm may be reached by calling Springfield 2-6250. In Springfield at 134 Monroe st.

BUY AND HOLD "E" BONDS

SCHAFER'S BAKERY SERVES LOCAL RETAILERS

A dozen times a day we make comparisons with accepted standards of quality with which we have long been familiar. Wise and thrifty housewives everywhere throughout this section use Schaffer's Bread, as a standard for comparing bakery products. That is why, finding no equal for most people in Springfield and surrounding communities have learned to ask their dealers for Schaffer's Bread.

You, too, should learn of the healthful and energizing qualities to be found in Schaffer's Bread.

Schaffer's Bakery is one of the best known and most reliable wholesale bakeries in Springfield area. They bake and distribute the famous Schaffer's Bread which is known for its pleasing taste and healthful qualities. Schaffer's Bread is handled by most dealers in this section who serve the most discriminating class of trade. Their plant and offices are located in Springfield at 512 W. Main Phone number is 8619.

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SAFETY GRINDING WHEEL and MACHINE CO. PLEAS IMPORTANT PART

Safety Grinding Wheel & Machine Co., is one of the outstanding factors in the National War program.

With a name that has come to be synonymous with "quality" in the manufacturing field, and accurate Machine Work, The Safety Grinding Wheel & Machine Co., has consistently maintained the highest standards of workmanship and efficiency in their establishment—and at the same time, by reason of their payroll have contributed in a large measure to the economic standing and general prosperity of the entire area.

The founders of this industry brot to the task a broad knowledge of their work gained by a long experience and have since, by constant application of the principles of honesty and square dealing succeeded in attaining a commanding position in their field.

No one invention, whether for the improvement of quality, increase of efficiency in operation or deduction of cost appears, but it is immediately given the test by use at the Safety Grinding Wheel & Machine Co., in Springfield, Ohio. Once its value is established, installation as a portion of the regular equipment takes place.

BUY AND HOLD "E" BONDS

HOLLANDIA GARDENS

Foremost among the institutions of this kind is the Hollandia Gardens, on E. National Rd., Springfield. They are growers of general nursery stock and fancy specimens and have for years supplied this community and the surrounding territory with shade trees, shrubs, rose bushes, perennials, bulbs of choice plants as well as fruit and evergreen trees. In fact, there is nothing in this line with which they cannot more adequately and satisfactorily supply you. Everything is guaranteed to be exactly as it is represented or it will be replaced.

Mark Aukeman, Mgr., of this nursery business is in the hands of a man of wide experience. He has kept abreast of the times, following the authorities and produced the choicest stock.

They well merit their large and increasing business by reason of the excellent service they render. You will find them pleasant and accommodating at all times. If you would have dependable nursery stock make your selection at Hollandia Gardens. Phone 2-7951. E National Rd. Springfield, Ohio.

BUY AND HOLD "E" BONDS

HOLSUM BAKING CO.

The Home of Honey Crust Bread

Serves Retailers

In writing news items and editorials of Springfield merchants, the editor now wishes to bring to the attention of our people one of the best bakeries in Ohio, namely the Holsum Baking Company, who during the past year have by their untiring efforts provided the people of this territory the finest in bakery products.

Holsum Bread is the latest star in the baking firmament. It is the result of years of baking experience and wisdom of the Holsum Baking Company, and is on sale at all leading groceries. Be discriminating and ask for Holsum Bread when patronizing your local merchants.

It has long been said that "Bread is the Staff of Life" but there is a vast difference in just bread, and B1, G and E, is constantly gaining in popularity among retailers and consumers alike. Only the purest ingredients and the best grade of wheat are used in The Holsum Baking Company's products.

"QUALITY CHICKS" AIM OF KIRBY MATCHERIES

Uncle Sam has called on the armer to raise more of everything. So get your chicks from Kirby Hatcheries, in Springfield at 1318 W. Main st where they offer a prominent place in agricultural life in the state. It is highly profitable as there is always a ready market for poultry and eggs. However, there is room for improvement in breeds, and this hatchery is adding to a large degree in the production of better poultry stock by hatching chicks that are of excellent strain. Their chicks may be purchased in any number.

This hatchery in Springfield, Ohio, has been giving the poultrymen and farmers a real service. Flock owners should come here for advice and information, as this hatchery is an authority on "chick questions."

Cecil P. Hill, Mgr., has had much experience in the hatchery business and offers only the best to the customers. Order your next bunch of chicks from this reliable hatchery and you'll like the way they treat you.

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AIRTOOL MFG. CO. OF NATIONAL IMPORTANCE

Among the prominent business and industrial concerns — prominent because they have played a laudable role in the upbuilding of a section — as the Airtool Mfg. Co., in the Airtool—Yost Superior, Factory Bldg., in Springfield, O.

A firm such as this, which has steadfastly held to high standards or products, employ conditions and fair play, is a paramount factor in the development of a given area, and the nation's War effort. Always on the alert to improve the quality of their products and assist their employees, the Airtool Mfg. Co., is truly a friend of labor and industry.

Concerns headed by men who are wise enough and unselfish enough to consider the entire community as well as their own individual business and profits—men who realize that it is good business ethics to aid a community and not just get all they can from it are surely to be commended.

We congratulate the Airtool Mfg. Co., and their employees on a splendid record of a service and wish them many years of continued success.

THOMPSON GRINDING CO.

AIDS INDUSTRY

The presence of the Thompson Grinder Co., in Springfield, indicates to the observers that Springfield is established in a position of leadership. This firm has taken its place among the industrial concerns of Ohio, which have cooperated in a sincere effort in the interest of the Nation's War program.

The Thompson Grinder Co., has Co., has for years carried its share of the burden toward this end. Its payroll is of importance to the local merchants. All employees are local residents. They own homes here and are able through the medium of their paychecks to take their proper places in the general scheme of civic progress. This firm has also contributed to the civic and cultural development of Springfield.

Of course, the success of the establishment is due to the farseeing policies of its management. Under the direction of C. Baldenhofer, Pres., and Treasurer, and W. T. Baldenhofer, Vice Pres., and Asst. Treas., the Thompson Grinding Co. has become a leader in the manufacturing field.

The Thompson Grinding Co. is an outstanding example of the accepted fact that "idealism in business can be made to pay."

BUY AND HOLD "E" BONDS

SPRINGFIELD

MILL SUPPLY INC.

CREDIT TO SPRINGFIELD GROUP

As Springfield grows and prospers, taking its place in the interest of the national war program, certain jobbers and distributors, through honesty, sincerity and a complete knowledge of their field, find themselves and the general welfare of the community in which they are located.

There is one firm in Springfield which definitely fits in this category — The Springfield Mill Supply Inc., located at 516 Cecil, Phone-2-2555. Jobbers and Distributors of Industrial Supplies. We therefore feel that this "4th War Loan Issue" would not be complete without the name of The Springfield Mill Supply Inc., in the interest of Clark county's industrial group and their contribution to the American war effort.

They have proved themselves a credit to their line of business and the industrial group. At the present time The Springfield Mill Supply Inc. is shipping to every state in the union including Canada and the United Nations overseas. Through their contribution to the war effort and their ability to procure the hard to get precision tools and gauges. The Springfield Mill Supply Inc. has broken many acute bottle necks and prevented actual shut down of industry engaged in actual war production.

We congratulate Wm. D. Dooley, Vice Pres., and General Mgr. and the Springfield Mill Supply Inc., on a splendid record of service to Springfield's industrial group and their contribution to the American war effort, and wish for them many years of continued success.

"BUY WAR BONDS"

AMERICA'S FOURTH WAR LOAN

BUY WAR BONDS

WM. Mc CULLOCHS SONS

Leather Products Mfgs.,

40 E. Main st. Springfield, O.

SPRINGFIELD, OHIO

THE FINK AND HEINE CO. The Home of Superior Quality In Meat Products

One of the many evidences, and one company which deserves its full consideration in the interest of commercial industry and meat packing and which has been constant in its service to retailers in Clark and the surrounding counties is Fink and Heine Company; packers of superior quality meat products. In Springfield at Bechtle Av and D. T. & I Railroad.

Not only are their meat products popular in this locality, but are handled by merchants throughout Ohio. In many cases they act as trade winners for the merchants handling them. Fink and Heine Co. is exerting every effort to supply cal merchants in Springfield, w meat products and at the same time maintain the friendly relation of the many retailers and consumers these retailers serve in the smaller towns and communities surrounding Springfield.

The Fink & Heine Company, serves our community in a dual capacity, first in supplying superior quality meat products to local retailers and second in supplying a ready market to local farmers for their livestock. Then to all meat products coming from this packing firm are city inspected for your protection, thereby insuring cleanliness and sanitation at the plant.

In this "Buy A Share In America Issue" we congratulate Fink & Heine Company, on their splendid record of service to retailers and producers in this area. Support America's 4th War Loan.

BUY AND HOLD "E" BONDS

Pepsi-Cola Springfield Bottling Co., Serves Retailers Well

The large number of dealers they have secured throughout this section is proof enough that they give genuine service, and their product is one of quality, because their business continues to witness increasing patronage from all the surrounding territory.

To facilitate distribution of Pepsi-Cola, they maintain a fleet of trucks, that enable them to deliver all orders promptly. Their trucks daily traverse a large section of the state. All orders sent by mail or telephoned are executed with dispatch.

Nearly all soda fountains, restaurants, bars and soft drink establishments in this section handle Pepsi Cola and will be pleased to serve you.

Every person has his favorite drink. Some drinks are mixed and served in a way individual in themselves, but if you are desirous of enjoying your drink—or to be prepared for friends when they drop in, you will buy from your local retailer, who handle Pepsi-Cola by the case and always have it in your home for ready use. In Springfield at 819 Cedar st. Phone 7921—W. E. Shields, manager.

W. P. JOHNS OIL CO.

ESTABLISHED FIRM

A city is built on the reputation of firms which conduct business within its borders. The community progresses or goes backward according to those wholesalers which day after day assist in the carrying on of its relations with the people who spend their money with Clark county merchants.

W. P. Johns Oil Co., wholesale distributors of Petroleum Products, is one firm of which the City of Springfield may well be proud. The concern has conducted an enterprising business in this city for many years and during that time has made many friends throughout the entire county. W. P. Johns, president, who manages the business has many satisfied customers in this territory and every day in every way he is making more and more contacts which result in business for the W. P. Johns Oil Co. at 1219 W. Main st. Phone 7082. The pleasure of doing business with this firm is well known and the service they render is unexcelled. "Buy more War Bonds."

Back the attack by up your payroll savings you. very next payday. Measure your savings by your new higher income.

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